

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND**

**DONNA MARIA BARNES-DUNCAN,**

Appellant

v.

**TIMOTHY P. BRANIGAN,**

Appellee.

\*  
\*  
\*  
\*  
\*  
\*  
\*  
\*  
\*  
\*

Case No.: RWT 09cv1178

**ORDER**

On May 7, 2009, Appellant filed a Notice of Appeal from Bankruptcy Court. *See* Paper No. 1. To date, Appellant has failed to file a brief. As such, Appellant has failed to comply with Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure 8006 and 8009.<sup>1</sup>

Accordingly, it is this 9th day of September, 2009, by the United States District Court for the District of Maryland,

**ORDERED** that the Appellant **SHOW CAUSE** within seven (7) days of the date of this Order why her appeal should not be dismissed for failure to comply with Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure 8006 and 8009.

\_\_\_\_\_  
/s/  
ROGER W. TITUS  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

---

<sup>1</sup> Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 8006 provides, in pertinent part: “Within 10 days after filing the notice of appeal . . . the appellant shall file with the clerk and serve on the appellee a designation of the items to be included in the record on appeal and a statement of the issues to be presented.” Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 8009(a)(1) provides, in pertinent part: “The appellant shall serve and file a brief within 15 days after entry of the appeal on the docket . . . .”